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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time to file an Appeal Brief in connection with filing of the Notice of Appeal by Applicants, received by the Patent and Trademark Office on August 9, 2001. The extended period expires on November 9, 2001.

A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for a one-month extension of time. If any additional fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A duplicate of this Petition is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

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